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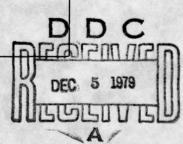
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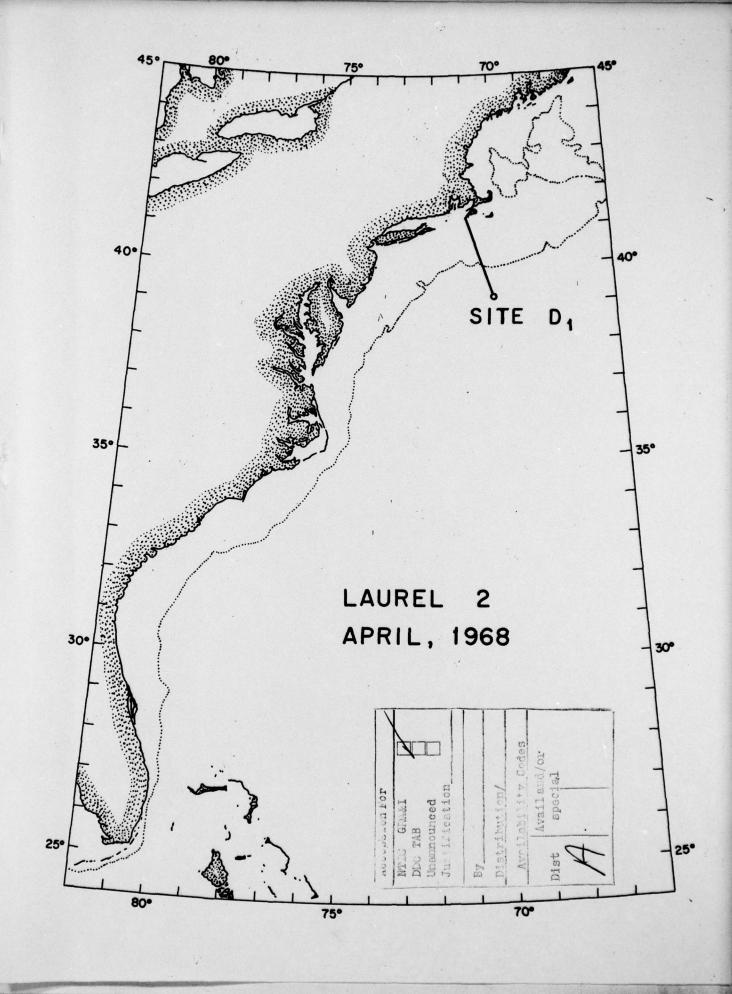
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#### Introduction

will include both scientific and engineering work. It will be a single leg, leaving Woods Hole April 15 and returning on or before April 30. All work will be done at Site D<sub>1</sub> (39 10 N., 70 00 W.).

- Test #1: All-Nylon Mooring —A long-term mooring will be set using a conical surface float and an all-synthetic mooring line. The line will be mainly 9/16" plaited nylon except in the recovery section, which will use 5/8" plaited nylon. A complete recovery section will be used. A wind recorder, telemetering tensiometer, and current meter will make up the instrumentation.

  This mooring is a prototype of a scientific mooring to be used only at Site D<sub>1</sub> until the compound (wire-nylon) moorings are improved. It will be left for two months, to be picked up in June.
- Test #2: Bottom Mooring A bottom mooring using the syntactic foam float will be set for a short-term experiment (~ 6 days). If successful, it will be reset for a two month period. The purpose is to measure near-bottom currents. The mooring will carry a single current meter, a depth-modulated beacon, and a release.
- Test #3: Engineering Mooring A long-term surface mooring will be set as an engineering test of new ACCO 3 X 19 swaged aluminized wire. Instrumentation will include a telemetering tensiometer, two recording tensiometers, and a current meter. A recovery section using 16" glass spheres is included.

<u>Release Experiments</u> - A series of lowered experiments will be carried out. Object will be to investigate security and noise problems by monitoring release response via a conducting wire.

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# Equipment:

Radio, Syntactic Foam Float	1
Radio, Toroid	1
Radio, Conical	1
Wind Recorder	2
Light, Conical	- 1
Light, Toroid	1
Syntactic Foam Float	1
Donut Float	1
Conical Float	1
Telemetering and Recording Tensiometer	3
Telemetering Tensiometer	1
Tensiometer, Recording	1
Acoustic Beacons, Depth-Modulated	3
Current Meter, Film	2
Current Meter, Tape	2
Acoustic Release	5
Glass Balls, 16"	45
Glass Balls, 10", with lights	4
Anchor, 600 lb. Weight	2
Anchor, Danforth, 100 lbs.	1
Anchor, Stimson, 3,000 lbs.	2

## Wire

Test #1

None

Test #2

None

Test #3

500 m. 9/32" 3 x 19 swaged aluminized ACCO wire rope with jackets and boots - 9000 RBS

500 m. ditto

500 m. ditto

# Nylon

### Test #1

500 m. 9/16" plaited nylon

500 m. ditto

500 m. ditto

500 m. ditto

360 m. ditto

60 m. 5/8" plaited nylon

2 m. ditto

50 m. ditto

### Test #2

10 m. 9/16" plaited nylon

10 m. ditto

10 m. ditto

20 m. ditto

20 m. ditto (extra, to be used for long-term reset)

#### Test #3

500 m. 9/16" plaited nylon

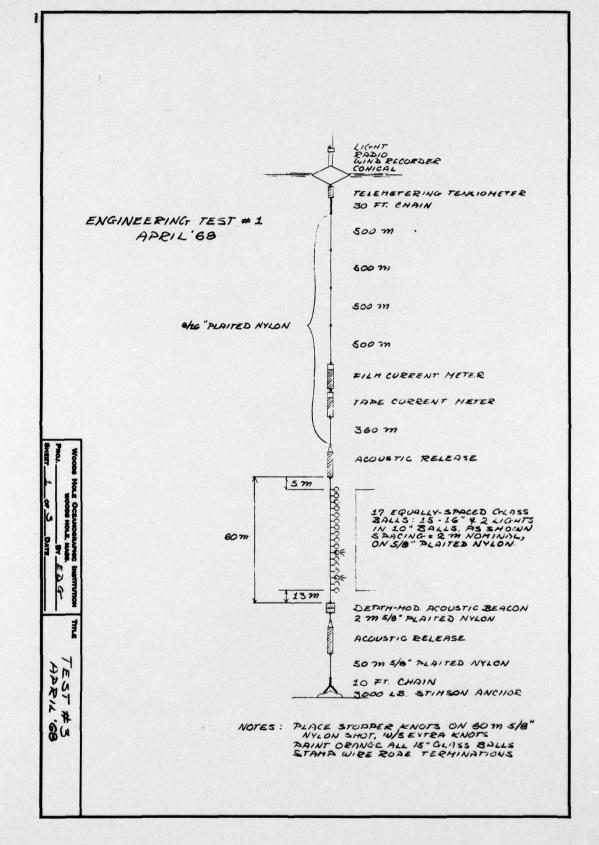
438 m. ditto

85 m. 5/8" plaited nylon

2 m. ditto

2 m. ditto

50 m. ditto



RADIO SYNTACTIC FOAM FLOAT 3 FT. CHAIN 10 m CURRENT METER 10 m DEPTH MOD. ACOUSTIC BEACON ALL LINE DISC "PLAITED NYLON 10 m ACOUSTIC RELEASE 2077 10 FT CHAIN 600 LB. WEIGHT BOTTOM MODRING HARK 1968

LIGHT RADIO TELEM. & RECORDING TENSIONETER TENSION ENCODER 30 FT. CHAIN LONG-TERM MODRING CURRENT HETER, TAPE APRIL'68 CRUISE 500 m 9/82" 3×19 SWAGED ALUMINIZED IPS ACCO WIRE ROPE WINACKET & ROOTS - 9000 RBS 500 m 500 m NOTES: PLACE STOPPER KNOTS ON SIG"- 85 M SHOT, WITH 5 EXTRA KNOTS TENSIONETER 500 m 9/16 "ALAITED NYLON ALL 16" BALLS TO BE PAINTED ORANGE STAHN WIRE ROPE TERM-INATIONS 438 m 9/16 PLAITED NYLON ACOUSTIC RELEASE #1 32 EQUALLY-SPACED GLASS
BALLS: 30-16"& 2 LIGHTS
IN 10" BALLS, AS SHOWN,
SPACING-2 TO NOMINAL, ON
S/8" PLAITED NYLON 85m 21711 DEDTH HOD, ACOUSTIC BEACON 2711 SB" DLOITED NYLON TENDIOMETER 2711 SB" PLOITED NYLON ACOUSTIC RELEASE #2 50m 5/8" PLA TED NYLON 100 LB . BANTORTH WITH 20' 1/2" CHAIN 10 FT. CHAIN 3000 LB. STIMSON ANCHOR